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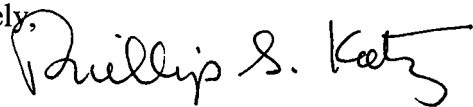
Ms. Joan Gorga
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Massachusetts Department of Public Health
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Dear Ms. Gorga,

In accordance with 105 CMR 100.603(B), the undersigned Massachusetts residents living within the service area of Caritas Holy Family Hospital in Methuen, Massachusetts hereby request that a public hearing be held regarding a Determination of Need Application filed by Steward Holy Family Hospital, Inc. with respect to its acquisition of Caritas Holy Family Hospital, 70 East Street, Methuen, Massachusetts and its satellite facilities located at 135 Haverhill Street, Andover, Massachusetts, 101 Amesbury Street, Lawrence, Massachusetts, and 60 East Street, Methuen, Massachusetts. We understand that Steward Holy Family Hospital, Inc. is a subsidiary of Steward Health Care System, LLC, an affiliate of Cerberus Capital Management, L.P.

Please send all written communications concerning this Determination of Need Application and the scheduling of a public hearing to my attention at, P.O. Box 372, North Andover, MA 01845.

Sincerely,



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